

MENTAL HEALTH & FIRST AID TRAINING CONTACT INFORMATION

For Projects awarded under the 2013, 2014 & 2015 QAP's

<u>Pursuant to scoring under the applicable QAP, all awarded recipients committing</u> that all on-site property management staff will complete Mental Health First Aid training approved by the Iowa Department of Human Services and/or an Olmstead Consumer Taskforce approved Disability awareness training program, such as may be offered by a Center for Independent Living.

For Projects awarded under the 2016 QAP and subsequent QAP's

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The date for the Certificate of Training shall be issued no earlier than 12 months from the time that the IRS Form 8609 Application is submitted.

Mental Health First Aid is offered in the form of an interactive course that presents an overview of mental illness and substance use disorders in the United States and introduces participants to risk factors and warning signs of mental health problems, builds understanding of their impact, and overviews common treatments. To learn how you can participate in training, please contact:

<u>Iowa Department of Human Services – Mental Health and Disability Services Division</u>

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Additional information on Mental Health First Aid can be found here: http://www.dhs.state.ia.us/mhdd/MHDS/MHFirstAid.html

To request Olmstead Consumer Taskforce approval of a proposed equivalent disability awareness training program, please contact:

UI Center for Disabilities and Development

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The following list provides all equivalent disability awareness training opportunities as approved by the Olmstead Consumer Taskforce to date:

None as of March 2, 2016